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In re Application of: Jerry E. Mann

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For:

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Submitted herewith is:

- 1. Renewed Petition to Withdraw the Holding of Abandonment Under 37 CFR 1.81: and
- 2. Declaration in Support of Petition Attesting to Mailing of Patent Office Correspondence.

Date: May 21, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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SIR:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (CPA), applicant respectfully submits that no additional claim fees are due for the subject application. Applicant has presented 20 total claims, with 2 of the claims being written in independent form, for examination in the subject CPA. These claims are Claims 33-37, 39-41, 43, 50-51, 53-55, 58 and 63-67. Claims 33 and 50 are the only independent claims. Accordingly, no additional fees are necessary, and the subject application is complete and in condition for examination. Early and favorable consideration is solicited.

Date: August 15, 2002

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